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<u>RESPONSE</u>

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 Sir:

This is in response to the Patent and Trademark Office (PTO) communication dated September 17, 2003. Accordingly, Applicants enclose herewith the following:

The entire "Amendments to the claims" section of applicants' amendment document filed on September 3, 2003, revised to now include the text for withdrawn claims 15-18.

## FEES:

It is believed that no fees are required for this Response. However, if through inadvertence, sufficient fees do not accompany this paper, please charge the Dayco Deposit Account No. 04-0375 for any missing fees that may be required so that this paper will be fully effective on the effective date thereof.

## REMARKS:

It is believed that Applicants have complied with all requirements set forth in the PTO communication.

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